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To the Beloved Maha Chohan, Holy Spirit for this Earth:

Dearly Beloved Holy Comforter! In the name of the Spiritual Hierarchy and particularly Your Seven Sons, We greet You as the mankind of Earth honor again the Feast of Whitsuntide. (June 6)

Truly is this Spiritual Day a time for thanksgiving. It shows how men of good will, desiring to unite their individual consciousness with the Divine Will, can be joined to the Cosmic Spirit of Truth and have their own talents, capacities, powers and consciousness, enriched, amplified, and energized by the spiritual transfusion of Your Presence.

Many men and women today look to You, Beloved One. Many are gathered together in the "upper chambers" of consciousness invoking the Presence of Truth and the Presence of Comfort. To each and every such one You come.

Those of Us who have shared Your precious gift of life, and Who know You, bring to You Our love! On behalf of the men and women whom You have so graciously honored with Your loving counsel, I offer You the works of their hands, the prayers of their hearts, and the consecrated endeavors of their souls, particularly this blessed month of June, 1954!

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The Homes and Retreats of The Masters of Wisdom

THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN RETREAT

June 15th through July 14th, 1954

In the heart of the Rocky Mountains in the western part of the United States of America, is an ancient focus of light dedicated primarily to the Cosmic Activity of radiation, expansion, and actual precipitation of the Will of God into the world of form. It is the heart center of spiritual centrifugal force as the Temple at Luxor is the heart center of spiritual centripetal force for the planet and its peoples. From the Rocky Mountain Retreat proceed the directions, grants of energy, and spiritual missionaries to take the Word of God, His purpose and design into the world of form. From the Temple at Luxor, mankind who have completed their work in the vineyard, return Home to the heart of Heaven.

Twice each year, the entire Great White Brotherhood and all students of life who have earned the right and privilege of conscious cooperation with the Ascended Host of Light meet in the Rocky Mountain Retreat for the express purpose of bringing before the Lords of Karma and the Assembled Brotherhood plans, designs, petitions and visions which They hope to externalize for the blessings of the race.

At this time, unascended beings are also privileged to offer suggestions of an impersonal nature which they have received in contemplation and prayer. If these suggestions have merit, they are often adopted by The Great White Brotherhood and the individual making such a suggestion is given more than ordinary assistance in his attempts to externalize a practical manifestation of his design, his vision, his dream to help the race.

The Spiritual Hierarchy, which is made up of Ascended Beings Who have consciously offered to renounce the joy of freedom of service at Higher Levels in order to help mankind to finish its evolutionary journey, are all specialists along some particular line of spiritual service and endeavor. The various Retreats throughout the world in like manner pour forth a specific radiation of spiritual nourishment through their Spheres of Influence and attract through the magnetic power of similar interests lifestreams who wish to serve life along particular lines of developed talents. These Retreats offer the chelas as well as Initiates opportunities to study under Master Intelligences Who will develop the greatest possible latent virtues and talents along specific lines. Many good men and women visit these Retreats while their physical bodies sleep and are a part of the life, endeavors and service of such Retreats to a far greater extent than the outer consciousness is yet aware.

At the Half Yearly Council, each Retreat and each Master Hierarch gathers together all the plans, hopes, visions, suggestions and designs of the members of His Retreat and from these develops a suitable presentation to offer before the Karmic Board and the Assembly as the possible service and contribution of that Retreat and Its Members for the next six months.

The beloved students now might take example from this Spiritual Pattern and through their group activities offer some specific service to the Karmic Board as their contribution for the next six months. Such offer would meet with great interest and bring great added power through such a dedicated group. When a specific service is found meritorious, the Karmic Board gives additional qualified energy and power to the Individual or Group sponsoring such a petition or design. This energy doubles or trebles the energy of the sponsoring group and comes from a spiritual stockpile of Cosmic Light which is dispensed according to the wisdom of the Cosmic Law, just as a trust fund would be dispensed by a committee to a worthy cause.

From the date of opening of the Rocky Mountain Retreat, (June 15) the Beloved Representatives of the Retreats and Activities dedicated to serving life begin to gather. They give into the keeping of a Brother of the Retreat the petitions and plans which They are to sponsor. These are placed on a great bulletin board and all individuals who are drawn by the magnetic power of the Retreat into its vicinity may study these plans. If they so choose they may then offer to give of their own energies to draw a grant of spiritual freedom to allow the beloved Sponsor to act according to His design in the world of form.

The Karmic Board hold audience from the 30th day of June, listen to all the plans and designs for the coming cycle of six months, and after the hearing is completed, They counsel together and the permissions and grants of energy are given to Those whose Cause has been found worthy and whose Cause has been backed by the interest and support of members of the human race unascended. Many Brothers have presented the same petition for over 10,000 years and not having found one sponsor among unascended mankind, have had their petition refused for lack of interest and support from those who such a Cause would benefit.

The focus of the Flame from this Retreat is a beautiful Chinese green in color, taking the form of a tulip. The Activity which becomes the personal heritage of all who absorb Its radiation is an intensification of the power of precipitation and externalization of abstract ideas as manifest, practical, physical forms.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: See *The Bridge to Freedom*, Volume II, No. 3, June, 1953, for further description of this Retreat.)

THE GURU AND THE CHELA

By the Ascended Master Kuthumi

CHELA—Beloved Master: Why is it that so many earnest spiritually-minded men and women suffer financial lack and physical distresses? Should not these men and women be among the manifest examples of opulence and health?

GURU—Beloved chela: Truly such individuals should be the manifest example of all that is beautiful, good, and perfect, not only for their own happiness, security and well being, but because such people represent Us in the world of form. Those who rest smugly and complacently in their own willful pursuits of pleasure use just such an argument to discredit the earnest ones on the Path. The words "If Thou be the Christ, come down from the cross" have been echoed through the centuries in one form or another by many spiritually sightless sons and daughters of men. One day, in the distant future, such a challenge will echo through their own consciousness as well!

To answer completely WHY such apparent contradictions between affirmed faith and works exist would require a volume of written words. However, for the comfort of the dear ones who writhe self-consciously upon their respective crosses and feel self-condemnation for such affirmations of limitation, I shall enumerate a few reasons as follows:

First—Each man who sets his feet upon the spiritual path must begin just where he is, not where he would like to be. Profession of faith, offers of service and acceptance of service do not change the heritage of personal karma any more than application for a position in the world of form, and acceptance by the employer, change the qualifications of the applicant.

The Master, like the employer, accepts the candidate for service upon reasonable confirmation that a certain qualified momentum of talent is available for use in a given position. The Master, like the employer, must rely upon the candidate himself to live up to his own greatest light and then, through voluntary study and application, raise himself to greater efficacy in the endeavor at hand.

The candidate for spiritual knowledge is, by the very reason of his present interest in spiritual study, usually one who has devoted a goodly part of his energies through the centuries to developing spiritual powers, oft-times to the neglect of his physical well being, as well as his financial security. The law, being wholly impersonal, only releases through the consciousness that which is held in mind, thought and feelings. If man has not contemplated beauty, opulence, and the various gifts of plenty in this world, there is no mould, no form, no

channel through which primal life may flow to externalize these gifts in his experience. Thus such an one must learn to balance his abstract devotions with practical mastery of the creative process of moulding out of thought beautiful designs, and energizing them with feeling, bringing them into form as ways and means of increasing the individual ability to serve the Cause and the Master. Even in Our Octave, We must design and form that which We desire before it is precipitated into Our hands and use.

Second—The student upon the Path immediately comes under an accelerated action of the Law of Cause and Effect. The energy returning to each one (which he has sent out in previous embodiments as causes of imperfect nature) must be returned to such an one to be purified, transmuted and returned to God in the same perfect expression with which it was received from Him. Thus such students have much more to "handle" as their energies return, than mankind at large whose returning energies are held in abeyance, in mercy, until they learn the Law of Transmutation (The Videt Transmuting Flame of Mercy and Compassion). Otherwise they would be overwhelmed by the karmic retribution and no spiritual advancement could be made in that Earth life. The Cosmic Law it that no soul can receive more destructive karma back into his experience in one life than his developed consciousness can transmute and master. Let all who read take heart thereby, for no student is allowed by the Karmic Board to receive into his experience any appearance which he cannot by his own light transmute at the very time it is received. Therefore, in the experiences of life, rejoice that the Law has felt your consciousness developed enough to receive calmly and transmute perfectly any shadows that appear, temporarily, upon the screen of your life.

Third—Every student is a part of the mass karma of the race, the nation, the planet, the evolution to which he belongs. The conscious students volunteer to accept the added service of dissolving much of this mass karma along with their own, even as Jesus assumed and transmuted much of the karma of the world through his experience at Calvary.

Fourth—Strong individuals, further, sometimes volunteer in a Cosmic Moment to stand as a Spiritual Guard around certain dedicated lifestreams, screening out the directed energies, visible and invisible, that would seek to destroy the heart center of such movements. Thus, Beloved Joseph and Blessed Mary assumed much karma acting as a guard around the sensitive energies of the pure consciousness of Jesus. Let no man look at another in judgment, for that one might well be

working out the karma that would otherwise weigh heavily upon another soul.

Fifth—The seeming happiness, security and well being of the individuals in the world is builded on good endeavors in the past, true . . . but it has no assurance of permanence until the consciousness can create and sustain such conditions at will. Those born to great affluence or physical perfection have earned that luxury and perfection but while it is an unconscious enjoyment born of no conscious knowledge of the Law of Precipitation, Healing and Peace, it is as fleeting as the sunshine that plays on the grateful man but which at a passing cloud is gone . . . the man, unable to re-create the sun, being merely an unconscious receiver of a benefit enjoyed but fleeting.

The individuals who have placed their feet upon the spiritual path will find no security, happiness nor permanent peace in being the unconscious recipients of the "gifts of Dame Fortune." They must become conscious of the powers of creation in the mental body, the powers of animation in the feeling body, and the powers of externalization through the coupling of practical, dedicated, channelled physical energies through the flesh. Then no outer person, place, condition nor circumstance will affect their tranquility, security and peace. It is such training that oft-times withholds temporary "surcease" because the outer consciousness is so easily assuaged when it has received its desire and unless the law itself is mastered, no further effort would be forthcoming by the individual until the gift so given was exhausted. Then the consciousness violently begins again the spasmodic endeavor to re-create a condition of ease in which to slumber on.

Sixth—The soul of the average individual spends a good hundred to one thousand years in the Octaves of Light between embodiments, which allows the individual to gather much reserve energy in the emotional and mental bodies to work out much accumulation of discord in the etheric body, and to return to Earth life "refreshed in spirit." Those who are engaged in the spiritual "push" of the hour have sacrificed this sojourn in the Heavenly Realms and its consequent reprieve from the vicissitudes of earthly experience, some of them re-embodiment within a year after laying down the previous Earth garment, a few even abandoning one body before its dissolution and accepting another. This sacrifice often is apparent in seeming lack of physical energies, as well as nervous tensions. All of these factors are the results of conscious sacrifice upon the part of individuals who are looked upon by the very beneficiaries of their selflessness with scorn and question. Be unconcerned for We were so treated before you.

MONTHLY LETTER TO TRANSMISSION CLASSES

DEARLY BELOVED ASPIRANTS TOWARD MASTERY:

June, 1954

It is a beautiful and a gratifying feeling for Those of Us who have devoted our lives to evolving a consciousness of Mastery through mankind to see such an earnest, humble, constant response from the students. Each one is so eager to learn how to become master over the constantly fluctuating screen of maya. Be assured Our Heart's Love will give every assistance possible toward the end.

This month as We honor the ancient focus of Light in the Grand Teton, presently Host to the Karmic Board and the Spiritual Hierarchy, let us remember that the activity of breathing in itself shows the balance of the Law. The two activities of creation, the rhythm of contraction and expansion, centripetal and centrifugal force, are required to both draw and sustain life in the physical form. The inbreathing must be followed by the outbreathing to comply with the Law which sustains the presence of the individual in the world of form. This same Law applies to all activities of life. The comprehension of this Truth and the Mastery of the energy in drawing forth and expanding the Divine Pattern in the world of form, coupled with the drawing in and sanctifying of the energies of life through purification and application, raises the individual into the next octave of experience as an Ascended Being.

The Rocky Mountain Retreat represents the Activity of expansion of the Divine Plan. This is why the Half Yearly Councils meet here, the designs of The White Brotherhood are accepted and energized here, and the various designated Intelligences go forth on the Cosmic Centrifugal Force from this center to the respective locations on the Earth's surface charged with the pressure and power of this natural activity of expansion. This is also why this location was chosen for the first pulsation of life upon the planet Earth, so that the lifestreams could have the spiritual tide of this focus to carry them forward upon their life plan. As you have been told, the other focus where the completed life cycle is closed, is located at the Temple of the Ascension in Luxor, Egypt.

Individually and practically, the radiation, consciousness and power of controlled precipitation is the gift of The Rocky Mountain Retreat to all who tune into Its light. Its color—the precipitating ray of green—emphasizes this Activity of opulence and of manifest works in every line of spiritual, mental and physical endeavor.

As you draw forth the blessings of the Rocky Mountain Retreat and as you join the Great Assembly at the feet of the Lords of Karma, may you feel the spiritual stimulus and inspiration to "be about the Father's business" in a practical and helpful way.

Love and blessings, THE MAHA CHOHAN

GROUP MATERIAL FOR TRANSMISSION CLASSES

June 1, 1954

BELOVED GUARDIAN SPIRITS OF OUR DEAR EARTH'S LIGHT:

God—the Holy Spirit—bless you especially this Whitsuntide, individually, collectively and most abundantly with His Gifts of Cosmic Christ peace, invincible protection, perfect health, limitless wealth and God success in all you undertake—amplifying without limit even the most feeble endeavor to expand the border's of God's Kingdom. This shall be! Consciously accept it—for it is decreed in Divine Love and all substance and energy are instantly obedient to the Master control of love.

The "keynote" to be used during this 30-day period before the meetings (if possible) to prepare the atmosphere and the students for the outpouring which will take place from the Beloved Royal Teton is "O! Thou Sublime Sweet Evening Star" from Wagner's opera "Tannhauser." As you read in our dear Maha Chohan's letter preceding this one, the color is a brilliant Chinese green. The statement to be used for the breathing exercise during the Transmission Period on June 19, is as follows:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
"I AM"	inbreathing	th' precipi- tating	power	of Lanto's	love	from th' Royal	Teton!
"I AM"	absorbing	"	"	"	"	"	"
"I AM"	expanding	"	"	"	"	"	"
"I AM"	loving	"	"	"	"	"	"

Precipitation—drawing into manifest form direct from the Universal anything and everything you desire—is a magic word and enchanting idea to many many people. Because it sounds so effortless—so easy of accomplishment—without using the physical energy required by those on the earth plane today to manifest form, there are those very anxious to be able to use this means, perhaps not realizing what qualities in the user are necessary for satisfactory results. The fundamental Law underlying the power of Precipitation is OBEDIENCE! As one of the Ascended Ones mentioned some time ago—"Mankind need not so dislike and rebel against the idea of OBEDIENCE for it simply means "loving co-operation with God-good." That takes the "sting" out of it, doesn't it? All life loves Freedom and the use of free-will and none like to think they are bound to do the will of someone or something outside themselves. Yet, when one understands that his own life is the life of God and he is willing to love and expand that Will of Good to the best of his ability, it becomes a real

JOY to lovingly co-operate with the good of God's Will and give obedience!

All substance and energy everywhere lovingly—without question—obeys the command of Divine Love. If it were not for this obedience, there would not be any such power nor could there be law and order anywhere. Did you ever stop to think how much you love obedience FROM life to YOUR desires? If life somewhere, in someone, does not obey you when you lift your telephone receiver, do you have the joy or satisfaction of communication? If light does not obey you when you flip the switch of electricity, do you receive light which enables you to fulfill your purpose in mind? If water does not flow forth from the tap, obedient to your demand for it, can you quench your thirst or do the many things water makes possible?

Let us right now *stop* a moment and definitely think these things over. Having done so, let us lovingly determine with all that is within us to not only be willing to OBEY God's Will and DO it to the best of our ability, but to REALLY PRECIPITATE that Will thru ourselves and BE the fulness of all beloved Jesus showed us the Father was—"Be ye perfect, even as your Father in Heaven is perfect." This is TRULY "being about our Father's business" and manifesting HIS WORKS!

Joyously and Victoriously all ways in the Light

"I AM"

FRANCES K. EKEY

SUGGESTED DECREES

For use during 30-day period from June 15th to July 14th, 1954

Hail to Thee! beloved Heart Flame of Precipitating Love from the Royal Teton! I thank You for Your Supreme Presence in the Universe and Your focus on our dear Earth today! I love You! I love You! I love You! Take Your full Freedom in me now! You are inside of me! BLAZE Your light thru! Raise this outer self of me into the full manifestation of Perfection which Thou art that I may be about my Father's business—every second every day, in everything, in every way, in all I do, think, see, hear, feel or say—today and forever! I accept this done NOW with full power!

I live, move and have my being in a gigantic fiery pillar of the precipitating power of Beloved Lanto's love from the Royal Teton, in outer physical action, protecting, purifying, healing, illumining, supplying and raising my entire being and world and those of all I contact today and forever.



THE MASTERS OF WISDOM SPEAK



ON PRECIPITATION

MAHA CHOCHAN

The activity of the Ray of Light is precipitation. Therefore, the power of precipitation which is so much desired by mankind is actually not only embodied in their creation but the activity of their sustained Presence in the Universe. Each self-conscious intelligence is *precipitated* out from the Central Source of God's Heart and the flowing stream of electrons which constitutes the lifestream is a precipitation of energy which never ceases while individualization and self-conscious intelligence functions in any sphere of manifestation.

EL MORYA

What mankind *should* desire is not the *use* of the precipitating power but the *control* of the precipitating power which is already, unfortunately sometimes, in their use and under the direction of their oft misguided free will. How many bewildered souls precipitate an argument, a crisis, even a war! Man must become still enough to *realize* what he should precipitate and then learn how to use his marvelous faculties of thought and feeling to govern not only the quality but the form of his precipitation. Then he becomes Master of energy, setting up causes whose precipitated effects in his world and affairs will be pleasing, harmonious, and of general benefit to life.

PAUL, THE VENETIAN

The emotional body is the receiver of the greater part of the energies flowing through the silver cord into the use of the individual. These energies are for the express purpose of giving life to beautifully designed and perfected thought forms created by the mental body at the direction of the Self Conscious Intelligence. When the energies of the feeling world joyously rush into a perfected thought form, the matrix or cup is energized, given life and begins its final journey on the precipitating ray into the world of form. You will notice that when the feelings show little or no interest in a plan, design, idea or vision, it seldom comes to fruition. It is among the "still born" thought patterns and eventually returns to the universal unclaimed and uncompleted. The individual desiring to experiment with conscious, controlled precipitation must learn to energize his thought form with his feelings of love, enthusiasm, devotion and purity of motive, purpose and design, if he wishes to have full manifestation quickly.

KUTHUMI

The mental body of every lifestream was designed for the express purpose of seizing the ideas born out of the mind and heart of God and moulding them into pleasing, beautiful, and practical forms which could then be energized by the feelings and manifest on the screen of life. While the mental body is allowed to create vague, half-formed outlines, and to satisfy itself in contemplation of previously formed thought forms created more or less imperfectly by others, it is not performing its proper function to the individual. The development of the power of visualization, of cutting out of universal light the pattern, form and design the individual desires to have manifest in his world, is the first step toward control of the precipitating power which—ungoverned—energizes any forms, good or evil, and by its very nature forces them into the experience of the self.

SERAPIS BEY

At Luxor, we impress the chela with the truth that within the light that flows into his heart is anything and everything he can require—for external comfort as well as for internal redemption and illumination. Each electron which makes up the rapid flowing stream of precipitated life contains within itself the intelligence, all the magnetic power required to sustain the body's life and the soul's nourishment as well.

As the chela is encouraged to contemplate the power within the electron and to draw forth that power through love and concentration, he learns to weave the primal essence of life into form. It is comparatively easy to raise the chalice of the mental body to the Divine Intelligence and receive the inspiration in the form of beautiful ideas, visions, God desires. In the mental body, these ideas are developed, refined, moulded, amplified, just as a sculptor working with marble, takes the abstract model and carves it into the stone. The chela is then encouraged to draw forth the flame of love from his heart and energize the pattern and form, feeding it rhythmically with a pressure of energy, until the thought pattern is filled with life. Then it is natural for the energized form to pass through the etheric realm and gathering the substance of this realm about it, externalize in the physical world as a manifestation of conscious, controlled precipitation.

HILARION

The magnetic center in each of the inner bodies, as well as the physical body of the individual, draws the universal light substance of that sphere and realm *instantly* when the process of conscious creation engages the energies of any intelligence, human or Divine. Thus, from the mental atoms that make up the realm of Divine thought, the mental body of the individual draws the material to make the cup into which he will pour his life. If he does this consciously, he knows beforehand what the effect or manifestation will be. If, however, he allows his mental body to accept discordant or imperfect forms and, like a scavenger, draw the refuse from the mental effluvia of the masses into his own creative center, and then energizes those thoughts of fear, depression and discontent, with his feelings, his precipitation will be no less proof of the law, but considerably more uncomfortable to live with. Man is using always the power of precipitation. It is the nature of his being. It is to become master of this power rather than victim of its mis-use that We come with instruction to those who choose to listen and then experiment according to our instructions with the control of those centers of thought and feeling which are his alone.

JESUS

The world of form is filled with the precipitated thoughts and feelings of mankind, generated by the ungoverned use of the creative faculties of thought and feeling. One who comes to assist the masses must not only dissipate these externalized pictures which plague their creators but must show each individual how to go back into the world of cause and stop drawing universal light into forms of limitation, privation, disease and death. The individual desiring to rise above the effects of these unpleasant manifestations must realize he must clear his mental house of the pictures already there, refuse to allow more of such pictures to register there, and then consciously create out of pure light pictures and forms of beauty, harmony and perfection. When his mental house is in order, he may energize consciously the picture of his Own Divine Image, and the many beautiful expressions of the Kingdom of Heaven which he would like to externalize for his own happiness as well as that of the race.

SAINT GERMAIN

Besides the mankind of Earth who are trained in the use of controlled thought and feeling, many Angelic Beings, Devas, Cosmic Beings and members of the Ascended Host are constantly receiving the Divine ideas from the mind and heart of God. These Pure Intelligences mould the abstract ideas into beautiful forms.

energize them with their own love, and send them on their way through the Seven Spheres with the hope that the consciousness of some members of the human race might be sensitive enough to pick up the already perfected blessing and externalize that blessing through the investment of his physical energies, time and dedication of thought and feeling. It was thus that I was enabled to direct into Fulton's consciousness the designs for the steamboat and it is thus that many of the inventors and scientists are enabled to offer their consciousness to Intelligences who use them as themselves in this world of form. I cannot over-emphasize at this time that the Seventh Realm, which is closest to the world of form, is literally bursting with the patterns and designs lowered by these Beloved Brothers and Sisters and awaiting the claiming by some interested in furthering the cause of mankind.

Decree: "In the power of the Great Central Sun Magnet, which I Am without limit, I invoke through my consciousness now whatever ideas, patterns, forms, designs, the wisdom of the Law sees my life energies can externalize. So be it!"

BELOVED LANTO

(Melody "Juanita")

VERSE I Lanto, dear Lanto, Friend of Old and Friend of Light!
Parent and teacher—call we to Thy height!
Let all now adore Thee for Thy patient love and care—
Let all bow before Thee—let Thy love all share!

CHORUS

Lanto, dear blessed Lanto—
Never, never from us part;
Heal us, raise us and seal us
Ever in Thy heart.

VERSE II Friend of the ages, to Thy gracious heart we call—
Let Cosmic Mercy flood o'er Earth to all.
For beloved China, land of Mercy's Healing Flame—
Free her blessed people, in God's Holy Name!

VERSE III Guardian beloved of America so dear—
Help her to Freedom, keep her way all clear!
Purify, illumine, all within our land today—
Let Thy power of Victory ever with her stay.

VERSE IV Hail Royal Teton! first God-home of man on earth—
Flood forth God's goodness, healing, peace and mirth!
Raise our Earth to Heaven, fulfill now God's perfect Plan—
Reveal God in action—BROTHERHOOD IN MAN!

Address by
BELOVED EL MORYA

January, 1954

GOOD EVENING, LOVELY LADIES AND GRACIOUS GENTLEMEN:

Happy indeed it is for those of Us Who place Our feet firmly on the Bridge of Light and know that as We proceed into your presence that bridge will not be swept from under Us through lack of faith or through prejudice. We thus build into Our design the services that We choose to render.

Mankind has, at rare intervals, stretched forth a hand of friendship, cautiously opened the door of their consciousness to the Presence or to the Hierarchy and, if the association is pleasing to the ego, they may give Us the questionable pleasure of hearkening to Our words. More often than not, however, in the bringing forth of Our light there was not enough personal comfort in the association to please aught but the few willing to stand "a thrust for a purpose." Upon this few have We depended for the continuity of consciousness by which the plan, design and hope of Heaven might be sowed into the world of thought; nourished by what voluntary energies could be coaxed from the keeping of a reluctant self, brought to harvest and offered to the Cosmic Law as a reason for sustaining a recalcitrant humanity on a groaning Earth as a part of Our beautiful and shining Solar System.

If you could have seen the pleas, the pledges, the arguments presented to the Lords of Karma, year after year, century after century by the Brothers in an endeavor to secure mercy or an added allotment of time to awaken some members of the race to their responsibility, you would know the Love Divine that is in the hearts of those Who serve. If you could have seen the harvest of each Retreat which has been offered at the great Council by the Brotherhood, you would realize that the endeavors and the manifestations of the past year were truly magnificent and you would understand the gratitude in the hearts of those of Us Who live in the belief that the light within your hearts can be encouraged and developed into Flame. For your service to Us, for your interest and confidence in Us and for making of your own lives a span in this bridge which I offered to the Hierarchy as a means by which They might enter the world of man, We are truly grateful.

In the course of the past year you have proceeded across bridges of one kind or another. You have availed yourselves of the energies of some other part of life who provided such a means of safe convoy for your feet or vehicle of transport. You have often trusted too well in the workmanship of human beings and more than once thru the ages have been catapulted into the roaring torrent by reason of such misplaced trust.

It is no wonder that the mankind of Earth are wary and cautious. Yet We have been able to secure your service in Our design. We have been able to coax you forth again over the bridge of life and you have grasped Our hands in friendship. I have offered mankind this bridge. I have offered it to the Host of Heaven. Grateful I am that it has sustained the weight of the people. It has also sustained the great and magnificent Personages Who have honored Us by using it to give to you Their Word, the feeling of Their reality and to share with you the sweet experiences by which They gained Their own freedom; Their joys, Their past fears and doubts, Their trials, and then Their victories.

The current endeavor of Lord Maitreya has been to bring to the student body a realization that every Being Who has ever trod the Path to victory has had the same life experiences as your sweet and earnest selves. He has asked each Master to convey to you His or Her own feeling as They passed along the way of Earth in order that you may accept Them as men and women. In that acceptance you will know the sweet association of friendship rather than the ideology wherein the perfected Being is vested with cosmic powers, but separated from the evolving consciousness by awe.

Before each Master Presence is invited to a participation in the unfoldment of the Divine Plan to the consciousness of the student of life, Lord Maitreya always gives each One the same instructions. If you will look over the pattern of the past year you will see that the homely experiences of the daily living of the Masters while on the Earth plane has been woven into the cosmic instruction on the law.

We have thought much about the presentation of the words of the Brotherhood. We have sat many an evening in Ceylon and counselled as to how best We may reach the hearts of men. The hearts of men have been reached by occult literature and other metaphysical reading, but it is the deep stirring of the heart by love, by the intimate confidences from within Our Own Hearts that raises the outer self into the comradeship which is essential to Our cooperative endeavor on behalf of Our planet.

Witness the great Christian religion wherein the Master Jesus has held the position of God and you will see that although the devotions and adorations have lifted the soul, except in very rare instances the devotee did not become the fullness of Jesus' Own Presence and His Consciousness in action. It is Our desire and endeavor now to send every man back into his own heart wherein he may develop from within himself the mastery of energy and find Us as fellow-workers, guides upon the Path, counsellors true, but none the less friends and brothers.

You are a brave lot, for you have chosen to apply to the Uni-

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GOOD EVENING; LOVELY LADIES AND GRACIOUS GENTLEMEN:

Happy indeed it is for those of Us Who place Our feet firmly on the Bridge of Light and know that as We proceed into your presence that bridge will not be swept from under Us through lack of faith or through prejudice. We thus build into Our design the services that We choose to render.

Mankind has, at rare intervals, stretched forth a hand of friendship, cautiously opened the door of their consciousness to the Presence or to the Hierarchy and, if the association is pleasing to the ego, they may give Us the questionable pleasure of hearkening to Our words. More often than not, however, in the bringing forth of Our light there was not enough personal comfort in the association to please aught but the few willing to stand "a thrust for a purpose." Upon this few have We depended for the continuity of consciousness by which the plan, design and hope of Heaven might be sowed into the world of thought; nourished by what voluntary energies could be coaxed from the keeping of a reluctant self, brought to harvest and offered to the Cosmic Law as a reason for sustaining a recalcitrant humanity on a groaning Earth as a part of Our beautiful and shining Solar System.

If you could have seen the pleas, the pledges, the arguments presented to the Lords of Karma, year after year, century after century by the Brothers in an endeavor to secure mercy or an added allotment of time to awaken some members of the race to their responsibility, you would know the Love Divine that is in the hearts of those Who serve. If you could have seen the harvest of each Retreat which has been offered at the great Council by the Brotherhood, you would realize that the endeavors and the manifestations of the past year were truly magnificent and you would understand the gratitude in the hearts of those of Us Who live in the belief that the light within your hearts can be encouraged and developed into Flame. For your service to Us, for your interest and confidence in Us and for making of your own lives a span in this bridge which I offered to the Hierarchy as a means by which They might enter the world of man, We are truly grateful.

In the course of the past year you have proceeded across bridges of one kind or another. You have availed yourselves of the energies of some other part of life who provided such a means of safe convoy for your feet or vehicle of transport. You have often trusted too well in the workmanship of human beings and more than once thru the ages have been catapulted into the roaring torrent by reason of such misplaced trust.

It is no wonder that the mankind of Earth are wary and cautious. Yet We have been able to secure your service in Our design. We have been able to coax you forth again over the bridge of life and you have grasped Our hands in friendship. I have offered mankind this bridge. I have offered it to the Host of Heaven. Grateful I am that it has sustained the weight of the people. It has also sustained the great and magnificent Personages Who have honored Us by using it to give to you Their Word, the feeling of Their reality and to share with you the sweet experiences by which They gained Their own freedom; Their joys, Their past fears and doubts, Their trials, and then Their victories.

The current endeavor of Lord Maitreya has been to bring to the student body a realization that every Being Who has ever trod the Path to victory has had the same life experiences as your sweet and earnest selves. He has asked each Master to convey to you His or Her own feeling as They passed along the way of Earth in order that you may accept Them as men and women. In that acceptance you will know the sweet association of friendship rather than the ideology wherein the perfected Being is vested with cosmic powers, but separated from the evolving consciousness by awe.

Before each Master Presence is invited to a participation in the unfoldment of the Divine Plan to the consciousness of the student of life, Lord Maitreya always gives each One the same instructions. If you will look over the pattern of the past year you will see that the homely experiences of the daily living of the Masters while on the Earth plane has been woven into the cosmic instruction on the law.

We have thought much about the presentation of the words of the Brotherhood. We have sat many an evening in Ceylon and counselled as to how best We may reach the hearts of men. The hearts of men have been reached by occult literature and other metaphysical reading, but it is the deep stirring of the heart by love, by the intimate confidences from within Our Own Hearts that raises the outer self into the comradeship which is essential to Our cooperative endeavor on behalf of Our planet.

Witness the great Christian religion wherein the Master Jesus has held the position of God and you will see that although the devotions and adorations have lifted the soul, except in very rare instances the devotee did not become the fullness of Jesus' Own Presence and His Consciousness in action. It is Our desire and endeavor now to send every man back into his own heart wherein he may develop from within himself the mastery of energy and find Us as fellow-workers, guides upon the Path, counsellors true, but none the less friends and brothers.

You are a brave lot, for you have chosen to apply to the Uni-

versal First Cause for primal life, every electron of which is charged with the fire and power of the Sun Itself. The flowing stream of electronic light that I witness passing through your inner bodies and your flesh forms tonight *is the Fire of Creation*. Some day each one of you will learn to master that Fire and through It fulfill the Divine Plan of your own great lifestream. We have all vowed to assist you!

I represent the Will of God and My service and activity in the inner spheres is a delight indeed. Every Master, Angel, Deva and elemental in those inner spheres is in complete accord with that Will and welcomes every opportunity to learn what new design is coming forth from the Silent Watcher in the twenty-four hour period, rushing to meet that Will and joyously sending Their life energy into the fulfilling and externalizing of it. In the world of form, however, I, representing the Will of God, am the least invited, even by the most advanced of students, because in the coming of the Will of God there is no compromise with the human self, there is no compromise with human conditions, there is no compromise with personality. Sometimes I wish that there were, because I am only the Representative, the Messenger, and I must give that Will to all who stand innocently before Me, hopefully raising the cup of their consciousness and timidly invoking that Will, yet always holding back just a little. I can hold nothing back when I am called into action! I live but to externalize that Will and, as the water runs impersonally through the channel that is opened to it, so does My conscious Self rush to and through the lifestreams that in the silence of their own chambers make the "great surrender," a surrender of self and pride and purpose and say with deep subjugation of the self "Thy Will be done!"

Beloved friends, in that hour when you invoke the Sacred Fire of God's Will and I, the Servant of that Fire, respond, I can but promise that after the surrender is accepted (which after all is merely a struggle with the outer self) you will find that the Will of God for you is much more harmonious and comfortable than that which your fondest dreams could depict as your own human will for the very best for yourself.

Truth and the Will of God always go hand in hand. This is Our year. It is to be a year of great light and yet a year of great discipline for those who have stepped forth upon the path. In friendship may I say that I will soften, as much as is possible according to My Nature, the flow of those energies into your experiences.

Sanat Kumara *must be released*. His work is well done. His Love even the Masters Themselves can scarcely comprehend, and His Patience!!! When He has looked upon the sleeping race, all potential light bearers, choosing to slumber on while He gives

of His maximum radiation to keep the Earth, which is their home, in the chain, not for a century or two, but *for millions of years*. This small, revolving orb is not more than a speck of dust in this galaxy, and its light, if snuffed out, would scarcely make a flicker in the radiance of the Solar System. Yet it is the planetary home of ten billions of lifestreams who can only find mastery if the Earth were sustained as their cradle.

Each one of you, when you wear your Immortal garments, when you have accepted the invitation of your God Presence and when you stand God-free in blazing light, will stand there only because Sanat Kumara believed enough in your light and life to do for you what you should have done for yourself for countless aeons of time. If He had not given so selflessly of His light, the evolution would have passed into the second death and as an individual consciousness you would have been no more. Is not that a debt to be paid best by becoming, wherever you are, a focus for the expansion of the light through every soul you contact?

You are paying for your own life in your service to Him. You are paying for your *immortality* all down through the aeons of time that have not yet been unfurled, when you will have being because of His love. Every sunrise you see, every flower that gives you its perfume, every friend and loved one that warms your heart, you enjoy because you have life which is the gift of His patience and His service in sustaining *your obligations* to life.

Think on it. *Some One* has loved the universe enough, *Some One* has loved you enough to meet *your obligations* and wipe them off before the Karmic Board year after year, embodiment after embodiment, century after century. You know the gratitude you feel in the world of form when an individual will meet your obligation and relieve you of that pressure, just once!

Lemuria was an age of tremendous illumination and perfection. On Atlantis, thousands of lifestreams were able to emit light, to precipitate, to levitate. Angels and Masters walked visibly by the side of unascended beings, Sanat Kumara, in hope, seeing the close of His exile, thinking on Venus, His Heart burning with love for His Home, the Sacred Fire visible upon the Altars, sickness, death and desolation wiped out; Sanat Kumara folding His garments about Him ready to let the dust of the Earth fall from His Presence—and then—*back through the centuries fell the race; back into exile goes Sanat Kumara!*

What consciousness would stand, at the fall of every Golden Age, before the Karmic Board and say: "*I renew My Vow—I shall remain—they will yet arise—they will yet emit light?*"

The Karmic Board more than once counselled Him to linger

no longer, that the Mercy of the Law had exhausted itself, that Divine Justice would no longer accept a sacrifice of such tremendous proportions, of love without parallel.

I have stood there, you have stood there, as that great dignified Lord of Life quietly and firmly said: "*I shall remain.*"

Then the Light of Venus dimmed in His eye and the thoughts of Home receded from His sweet Consciousness lest the very pull of that love would weaken His resolve.

I have stood on Venus, by the side of Sanat Kumara's Beloved, I have seen Her filled with increasing hope as the hour of His exile neared completion. Then, I have seen Her turn and walk back into the City of the Sun, with Her shoulders squared and Her eyes facing the Heart of the Presence, another million years doing the work of others.

That, My children, is *LOVE*. That is what *FIRES ME WITH ENTHUSIASM*, with *DETERMINATION* to find among the sons and daughters of men some who would love as Venus has. That is the inspiration that brought Me to the side of Saint Germain. That is the Fire that took Me into the very Presence of Helios and Vesta Themselves to ask for an opportunity to reach those chelas who had served with Me in many a tight corner through the ages. That is the Fire that beat within My heart as I stood before the great Maha Chohan and in the face of His question made Me say: "*I BELIEVE I CAN FIND MEN AND WOMEN TO HOLD THE BRIDGE, TO FAN THE DYING EMBERS OF TRUTH, TO STIR THE SOULS OF MEN AND TO SET THIS GOD BEING FREE.*"

Justice and Right *MUST PREVAIL*. Men and women who have benefitted by the Patience and Love of Sanat Kumara, who yet refuse to serve *when they know what He has done!* It is outrageous.

This is a crusade, My dear ones, in which My Spirit, My Soul, the Fire of My Being is invested. Before I am through *there will not be a soul on this planet WHO HAS NOT HEARD THE NAME OF SANAT KUMARA. There will not be one incoming soul who will not kneel before His Light.*

I asked the Lords of Karma to *withhold a physical body from any lifestream who is to come through the gates of birth until that soul agrees to use its energies to emit the light which sets that Great Being free.*

I am a Man of determination and purpose. It is the *WILL OF GOD* that the men and women of Earth give forth the light to make this star shine.

At inner levels it is a *disgrace* to look upon the sweet Earth,

to hear its cry, to hear it groan as it turns upon its axis and to witness the effluvia from the hearts of men that the blessed elementals are forced to clean up.

Come forth now, My friends! Let us be about Our Father's business! I thank you.

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Standing in the full freedom of that Realm where the eyes can see, and the ears can hear, as God intends, I look at the beautiful, constantly flowing stream of electrons that flows from the Source of Life, and which are moulded by the White Fire Spirit from whence all have proceeded into the electronic pattern of each life-stream. To stop one of these beautiful spiritual atoms in its rapid descent in order to study its beauty of detail, its delicacy of outline, its shining essence, would be impossible. Literally catapulting themselves into the Grail of the Heart of the Presence, they flow outward through every sphere, qualified by the particular vehicle of the individual functioning in that sphere.

For instance, from your Presence flow these lovely beings in every word that Presence speaks, in every wave of its hand, in every motion of the Electronic Body, and they form the substance, essence and glory of the Causal Body.

Then, through the Holy Christ Self, they flow into the Fourth sphere, moulded into the thought patterns and forms of that Spiritual Guardian of your life expression. Each tiny little electron becomes a moulded prayer—a sword of flame—a rushing, powerful torrent of purifying essence—the very Presence of the Violet Fire in action.

As the life essence flows onward through the lower bodies, the mental vehicle commands it into every thought form, good or evil, the emotional body commands it into every feeling harmonious or otherwise, the etheric body commands it into every memory, and the flesh body into every action. Here, the lovely little beings become imprisoned in the forms created by the outer self.

Even the tiny little electrons that swing around the polarized center of each atom in your physical body are infinitesimal figures, and it is but the accretion around them that shuts in their beauty and their natural light. When you become accustomed to visualizing your body as such a countless number of these intelligent selves, it becomes easy to speak to them in love and ask them to fulfill themselves in *BLAZING LIGHT—IN HARMONY AND BEAUTY OF EXPRESSION—IN HEALING AND PURIFICATION OF THE ENVELOPE WHICH THEY MAKE UP.*

THE HEALING CHALICE

Beloved Children of the ONE BREATH, know each one that in TRUTH, thou and I, thy Father-Mother God, art ONE. Thou art in truth, fashioned after a Divine Concept, beautiful and perfect beyond thy present powers even to imagine . . . I, thy Father-Mother, see thee only as thou truly art. The effluvia of thine own mortal concepts and accretions, has bound thy perceptions but I, thy God, see the Christ Design which, once wrought, remains awaiting fulfillment in the consummation of My Immortal Plan. I see thee—within thy heart, the Fire-breath flaming and bearing within It the semblance of thine own true identity. Within thy precious form can ever be found the flashing fires of all the bodies that thou dost wear and utilize—their centers flaming concentrations of the sweet essence of that Divine Sphere which each one calls "Home."

Children of the ONE BREATH, The flaming centers within thee, the altars of thy selfhood are forsaken and the "Flames" are flickering and but dimly seen. The Sacred Thread upon which Thy Jewel Fires are hung is knotted, soiled and twisted. Awaken now and tend thy fires, Priests and Priestesses! . . . Let thy love pour forth upon each wayfarer on the pathway and prepare thy temples for the coming of thy Master Presence Who will escort thee "home"—where thou shalt minister from within the Flame upon thine own altars to all who pass thy way! Clothed in shining raiment woven from the Sun's own light and fashioned by the Master Craftsman who dwells within thine own heart, thou shalt, each one, grace thy temple and glorify thy God.

HEALING DECREES

"The Christ consciousness within me is NOW reborn and "I AM"—RIGHT NOW—one with THEE!

Beloved Maha Chohan! For Thy Love and Comforting Presence accept my heart's deep gratitude and love. Release unto me Thy grace. Strengthen my heart with Thine Own Light and show me the pathway that I, too, may journey Home.

The God consciousness of Precipitation is now manifesting within me and "I AM" supplied, illumined and free!

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